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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents  
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This is responsive to the outstanding Office Action mailed January 3, 2006.  
Reconsideration and allowance of this application are respectfully solicited in view of  
the following amendments and remarks.